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VERTEBRAL COLUMN SUPPORT
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

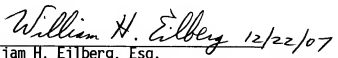
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period for responding to the Official Action of August 24, 2007, in the above-identified application, now set to expire on November 24, 2007, be extended by one month, until December 24, 2007.

A response to the Official Action, and payment of \$60.00, as prescribed in 37 CFR §1.17, accompany this petition.

Respectfully submitted,


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